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MURDER WILL OUT.

Murder will out. For three centuries we did not know that Shakespeare had been killed by Bacon. Up to a few days ago nobody had even suspected that the great English dramatist was murdered and that Bacon was the fiend.

But it looks bad now, for Dr. O. W. Owen of Detroit says so. The doctor is back there in England digging in the bed of the river Wye for manuscripts by which he intends to startle the world. He is on the scent and figuratively poking his nose down into the mud of the river bottom, so hot has grown the trail. Not much longer will the memory of Bacon be fugitive from justice.

But worse than this astounding revelation of crime will be the other disclosure which the doctor promises. He has a cipher which he will apply to the manuscripts when he finds them and prove that Shakespeare's plays were really from the pen of the murderous Bacon.

That was certainly the crime of a century. Stories have been passed down of drinking bouts that Shakespeare used to have with Ben Johnson and there are traditions that his death was hastened by that dissipation, but if Dr. Owen is right he has saved the poet's good name, even though the day be 300 years late. It will be comforting for us to know that Shakespeare didn't drink himself to death even if at the same time we must know that he didn't write the immortal dramas for which the world has given him credit.

What a wonderful intuition led Dr. Owen from Detroit to the scene of his search! The fictitious exploits of Sherlock Holmes sink into insignificance; even William J. Burns must confess himself the veriest tyro; the achievements of Rodin are nothing; in fact, the detective work of all history is shamed to simplicity by the "hunch" which seized this good doctor amid the modern hustle of the Michigan city and took him posthaste over to England to reveal the murder of the Bard of Avon and set civilization right as to the authorship of the plays that have borne his name.

But Dr. Owen has no doubts. He even knows where the skull of Shakespeare was hidden by the murderer and expects to dig it up. He regrets the premature publicity that has been given his discoveries, but will keep up his attack on the mud in the river bottom. If the papers had only remained silent, he might have been able by this time to find the weapon with which Shakespeare was slain. Meanwhile we'll insist that he make good in his production of the ghoulish evidence of the murder.

AT SO MUCH PER HEAD.

If there had been much doubt about the "underground" method of bringing Chinese laborers into the United States from Mexico, the accidental discovery of 10 abandoned and starving Celestials on one of the Coronado islands resolves the doubt. The inhumanity of the smugglers in thus leaving the mongrels to perish on a deserted island is appalling, and first challenges attention and stirs indignation. But beyond that, it uncovers the plain unvarnished fact that there had been a regular business established with the strict military patrol along the international boundary interrupted.

According to San Diego papers, so many Chinese had been unloaded at Ensenada and other Lower California ports, for delivery in California, that it became necessary to try to dispose of some of them, and the sea route was attempted, the statement being made that \$150 per head was to be paid for Chinese safely landed. A small boat with a cargo of ten was wrecked, and forced to land its human freight on an uninhabited island, while either the fears or the brutality of the smugglers caused them to leave the coolies to their fate.

Which seems to suggest that the patrol of the border might be profitably continued long after peace is declared below the line, and that not only by land, but by sea, Uncle Sam shall bestir himself, to see that the laws against Chinese immigration are not mocked.

When President Taft attended four dinners and two luncheons in New York the other day he must have had in mind the declaration of a food expert that fat men are fat because they do not eat enough.

It looks like the lull before the Mexican storm, and when the storm breaks, it isn't going to be any penny circus.

According to Minority Leader Mann, Champ Clark is as expert an engineer of the steam roller as he is mule driver.

PLAYING POLITICS.

The democratic majority in the lower house of congress is doing some pretty smart politics. Quite probably the republicans would do the same thing, did they hold the cards, but for the moment the democracy has the deal. The suspicious haste with which the lower house ratified the new congressional apportionment is explained by the Philadelphia Record, which is good democratic authority, and the reason given is that if apportionment is enacted at once the democrats will be enabled to gerrymander the states of New York and New Jersey, where they now have democratic legislative majorities. The Record continues:

The present division of New York into congressional districts, made by a republican legislature ten years ago, gives the republicans all the best of it, and hence that party does not want the democrats to have a chance to rectify the gerrymander. In New Jersey, also, the present demarcation of congressional districts is republican work, which the democrats believe is not fair to them. The democratic house leaders are hopeful that if the reapportionment bill be rushed through the house at once it can be forced through the senate within a month or so, and the New York legislature, which will remain in session for several weeks yet, can then redistrict that state, marking off the congressional districts in a way that at least will be fair to the democrats.

It also is expected that Governor Wilson of New Jersey will call the democratic legislature of his state in special session to undertake the same risk.

It is probably true that the republicans, when they were in power, did gerrymander New York and New Jersey, and the democrats will proceed to use their opportunities in the same way. But neither of these facts excuses dishonest politics, and the record of both parties in this matter is not honest.

It may even be suspected that jockeying in the house will be met by similar tactics in the senate to beat the democratic game.

HOW TO LIVE LONG.

Dr. Charles William Eliot, the grand old man of Harvard, celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday on April 16. He announced on that occasion the following rules which had enabled him to preserve his health, spirits and mental equipoise during the span of his long life:

"Go to church.

"Keep a clean heart and a good conscience.

"Give your mind exercise as well as your body. Really think.

"Exercise regularly, eat in moderation, take a full allowance of sleep.

"Avoid indulgence in luxuries, and the habitual use of any 'bag whatever—not only of alcohol, but of tobacco, tea and coffee."

Those few simple rules contain as much wisdom, as much medical advice and as much food for deliberate thought as many a sermon. Every one of them comprises a world of good counsel which, were it more generally followed, would make humanity better, happier and healthier.

Dr. Eliot places great emphasis on the necessity for cheerfulness to the well-balanced mind, and its effect on the length of life. At seventy-seven, Dr. Eliot is hale and hearty, with every faculty in good order, and he promises to spend many more years on the earth, working for the uplifting of the people as he has done in the past.

His has been a most useful career, and that will leave its impression on the educational history of his country for centuries to come.

Vice-President Ramon Corral of Mexico need not worry over the indiscreet remarks ascribed to him; nor need President Diaz jump to his defense. All Senor Corral has to do is to adopt that rule which was invariable in the public life of Colonel Roosevelt. He can get out of his trouble easily by simply saying that he didn't say what he is reported to have said and then nominating somebody for membership in the Ananias club. That was the colonel's long suit.

One of these days American millionaires with a penchant for spending their money in the collection of "old masters" will look with suspicion upon the continuous discovery in Europe of long-lost paintings by Rembrandt, Titian, Frans Hals and other great artists. We think the discoverers will keep busy just as long as they can hold the interest of the men over here with money to favor whims.

The Standard Oil company has nobly resolved to do its share in the reduction of the cost of living. It has announced a cut in the price of refined petroleum of 15 cents on each 100 gallons. But don't spend the money you save foolishly.

The bouncing of the lid over the bubbling Mexican cauldron is getting almost too strenuous for Diaz to stand.

New York ticket speculators have been suppressed, but the Wall street variety is still plundering the unwary.

Nor does time seem to soften Mr. Bryan's opposition to Mr. Martin as minority leader of the senate.

Isn't it about time the old Mississippi river was giving reporters their annual spring flood specials?

Mexico's peace pact seems to have tumbled off the shelf and jarred a few conditions loose.

Having danced, it is now up to those grafting legislators to pay the fiddler.

PERSONALS

Comings and Goings of Our Local People and Others

Edward Levy of San Francisco is a Mizpah guest.

J. E. Martin of Oakland is stopping at the Mizpah.

C. R. Olson of Liberty is visiting in Tonopah.

C. W. O'Neill of Salt Lake is a guest of the Mizpah.

Senator H. V. Morehouse of Goldfield returned home this afternoon.

H. R. Grier, district freight and passenger agent for the T. & G. railroad, with headquarters in Goldfield, spent today in Tonopah working in the interest of the special train that will carry the Elks and their friends to Goldfield Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Sinclair, wife of the chief of the fire department, accompanied by their little son, Harry, left on this morning's train for Mason valley to visit her sister, Mrs. George Strousmider. Mrs. Sinclair will be away for several weeks in an effort to benefit the health of her son.

WEATHER REPORT

Today's hourly temperature record at the weather bureau office was as follows:

1 a. m.	38
2 a. m.	34
3 a. m.	33
4 a. m.	32
5 a. m.	30
6 a. m.	29
7 a. m.	33
8 a. m.	35
9 a. m.	41
10 a. m.	43
11 a. m.	44
12 noon	44
1 p. m.	47
2 p. m.	48
Highest a year ago	76
Lowest a year ago	50

"ALBERTUS" IN TOILS
IN A NORTHERN CITY

TACOMA, May 9.—"Albertus," an alleged hypnotist performing at a local theater, was arrested yesterday on complaint of Earl Ashford, an 18-year-old boy, who makes his home near the theater.

Ashford was the hypnotic subject used by "Albertus" last night.

A hatpin was stuck through the boy's tongue, another through both cheeks, one through the lobe of his ear, another through the flesh under his jaw, and two through his arm just above the wrist.

With these pins in the boy's flesh he was led through the audience pretending he was in a trance.



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FOR SALE—Safe, desks and office furniture, room 3, Golden block. 5-9-21

WANTED—Chambermaid at once. Apply Comstock hotel. 5-6-21

WANTED—At Agan Cafe, an experienced waitress. 4

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at the Bonanza office.

LOST—Cocker spaniel, black and white pup. Return to J. Stenuff, Palace Market; suitable reward.

FOR SALE—One new two-horse power Wagner 60-cycle, single phase, electric motor; starter and fixtures complete. Address B., Bonanza office.

FOR SALE—Four work horses, harness and wagon; horses young and in fine condition; average weight 1250 pounds; can be seen in corral opposite Pioneer Stable. Inquire at Tadich Brothers' new store. 4-25-11

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The Stock Market

Quotations Furnished by H. E. Epstine, Mining Broker

TONOPAH.	Bid.	Asked.	1000 North Star	Afternoon—
Montana	1.02 1/2	1.05	1000 North Star	.13
Tonopah Ex.	.12	.13	3000 Midway	.25
MacNamara	.20	.21	7000 Midway	.20
Midway	6.17 1/2	6.22 1/2	1300 West End	.57
Belmont	.13	.14	1000 Tonopah Extension	1.05
North Star	.57	.59	5000 Rescue Eula	.16
West End	.16	.17		
Rescue Eula	.27	.28		
Jim Butler	.50			

GOLDFIELD.	Bid.	Asked.	Pythian Sisters	DANCE IS TOMORROW
Goldfield Con.	\$6.15	\$6.20	Argenta Temple, No. 12, Pythian	Sisters, will be the host at a swell
Booth	.07	.08	dance in Miners' Union hall tomorrow	(Wednesday) night. Elaborate
Blue Bull	.03	.04	plans have been made by the sisters	for a most enjoyable evening, and
Atlanta	.10	.11	it is anticipated that a goodly crowd	will be in attendance to trip the
Jumbo Ex.	.29	.31	light fantastic into the early morning	hours.
Flor nee	1.55			
Spearhead Gold.	.06	.06		
Comb. Fraction	.08	.09		
Kewanna	.05	.06		

COMSTOCK.	Bid.	Asked.	THURSDAY—This is the night of
Ophir	\$2.10	\$2.12 1/2	that big cobweb social at the Pres-
Mexican	5.75	5.80	byterian church. Whatever you do
Con. Virginia	1.45	1.47 1/2	don't miss it. Bring all your
Sierra Nevada	.83	.84	friends and come prepared for a
Union Con.	2.00	2.02 1/2	jolly good time.

MISCELLANEOUS.	Bid.	Asked.	Our "Want Ads" bring results.
Pitts. Silver Peak	\$.68	\$.70	
Nevada Hills	3.00	3.05	
Manhattan Con.	.02	.03	
Man. Dexter	.05	.06	
Man. Mustang	.03		
Man. Big Four	.15		

NEW YORK CURB.	Bid.	Asked.	Big Bargains On Jewellery
Tonopah Mining	\$6.18	\$6.25	Diamonds, watches, cutglass, etc.
Montana	.83	.85	at Shemanski's till the 15th of
Tonopah Ex.	1.00	1.03	May. Everything at reduced prices.
MacNamara	.12	.13	If you have a mail order house
Midway	.25	.27	catalogue bring it with you and
Belmont	6.12 1/2	6.18	get 5 per cent cheaper than extra
West End	.55	.57	logue price. Watches and clocks
Jim Butler	.26	.27	75c and up.
Goldfield Con.	6.00	6.12 1/2	
Mizpah Ex.	.60	.70	

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